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Mr. Charles Terreni
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Re: Application of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. to Provide In-Region
InterLATA Services Pursuant to Section 271 of the Telecommunications Act of
1996
Docket No. 2001-209-C

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing are the original and 10 copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s ("BellSouth's") preliminary performance data change Notification Report for December 2005. Ordinarily BellSouth would be filing a Proposed November Report at this time; however, there are no changes proposed for November data. This preliminary data change Notification Report previews the changes BellSouth is considering making for December data. A Data Disclosure Report would be filed at this time as well, if needed; however, there are no additional South Carolina validated data issues to be disclosed that affect performance measurement calculations for which a fix has not yet been scheduled.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick W. Turner". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Patrick" and last name "Turner" clearly visible.

Patrick W. Turner

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Enclosure

cc: All Parties of Record
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PRELIMINARY DECEMBER 2005 DATA NOTIFICATION

BellSouth is considering making the changes described in this document to generate results for the December 2005 data month. Results for the December 2005 data month will be posted as follows:

Preliminary results	January 20, 2006
Final results	January 31, 2006

BellSouth provides Data Notifications each month in compliance with the Georgia Public Service Commission's Order of July 19, 2002. This order specifies that when BellSouth proposes making any changes to the methods by which performance data is calculated, it must provide written notice. This notice must be provided on the first business day of the month before the data month in which the change will be made. BellSouth must also provide notification if it is considering making changes to the method of calculating data for the following month.

The "Affected Measures" described in this notice are those set forth in the Georgia Service Quality Measurement ("SQM") Plan, unless otherwise noted. All "Impact of Change" descriptions are stated at the measurement level, unless the sub-metric level is specified.

Releases may affect monthly data flows from the source systems (*e.g.*, LEO, LESOG, LMOS, WFA, etc.) that PMAP uses to calculate measurements. BellSouth will make changes to PMAP to ensure that data continues to be correctly captured as Releases are implemented.

Ordering Measurements

- (1) *Affected Measures:* O-3, O-4, O-7, O-9, & O-11

Description of Change: Currently for these measures, if PMAP cannot find the secondary timestamp, the primary timestamp is not used. (Example: For a LSR coming in from EDI to SGG to LNP, if the outbound timestamp is in EDI but not in SGG, PMAP will not use the timestamp from EDI to count the response.) Bellsouth proposes to change this logic to use the primary timestamp regardless of the secondary timestamp. (RQ5727)

Impact of Change: For August 2005 Regional Flow-Through data, 1,256 LSRs would be added to the current base of 376,435. The largest impact would be to UNE Loop Flow-Through, which would increase from 87.87% to 88.62%.

Provisioning Measurements

(8) *Affected Measures:* P-2, P-2A, P-2B, & P-5

Description of Change: Currently, BellSouth is not reporting Retail performance on the Non-Mechanized 12-Month Reports for Local Interconnection Trunks. BellSouth proposes to add the Retail performance to these reports. (RQ6353)

Impact of Change: No change to results.

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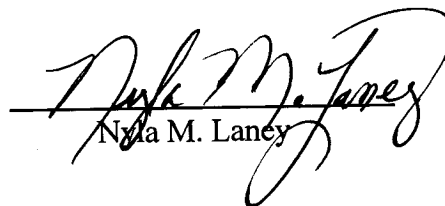
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